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PHENYLALKYLHETEROCYCLIC DERIVATIVES AND THEIR USE AS MEDICINES  
WITH SERUM GLUCOSE AND/OR SERUM LIPID LOWERING ACTIVITY

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**AMENDMENT**

Responsive to the Official Action dated November 27, 2007, please amend the  
above-identified application as follows: